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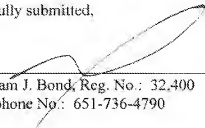
This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief (37 CFR § 41.37), dated November 29, 2007, in the above-identified application.

The Appeal Brief filed on October 4, 2006, was said to be non-compliant: the brief does not present an argument under a separate heading for each ground of rejection on appeal (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(vii)). In accordance with the instructions in the Notice, a Supplemental Appeal Brief is submitted herewith.

This Supplemental Appeal Brief is believed to be timely submitted. It is believed that no fee is due; however, in the event a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 13-3723.

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